

REMARKS

Claims 1-20 are now pending in this application, with claims 1 and 11 being independent. Claims 1 and 11 have been amended. Favorable reconsideration is respectfully requested.

The Examiner's indication that claims 1-20 would be allowable if amended to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112 is gratefully acknowledge. As set forth below, such amendments have been made, and allowance of those claims is respectfully requested.

More particularly, the Office Action rejected claims 1-20 under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as invention. Specifically, the Office Action found that the "artist blocks" term lacks antecedent basis, and that its definition and relationship to "artist list" is not clear.

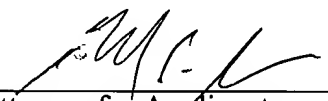
In response, Applicants have amended independent claims 1 and 11 to recite that "each artist block compris[es] a grouping of at least one artist." Applicants respectfully submit that these claims as amended clearly describe the nature of an artist block, and clearly describe the relationship between an artists block and an artist list. Accordingly, Applicants believe that the Section 112 rejection has been overcome, and respectfully request the Examiner to remove it.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing Amendments and Remarks, a Notice of Allowance is earnestly solicited.

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